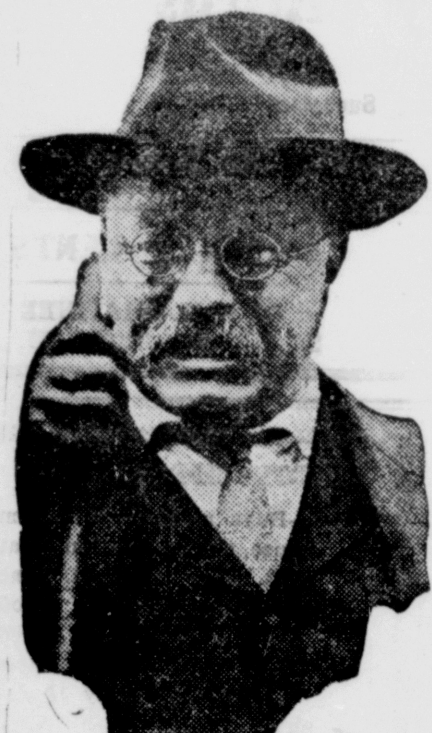


COL. ROOSEVELT
IS A CANDIDATEFormer President Tosses His
Hat Into Political Ring.

INFORMS CLEVELAND FRIEND

Colonel Declares He Will Make
Statement Monday.Cleveland, Feb. 22.—"My hat is in
the ring."That is what Theodore Roosevelt
said here when an admiring Cleveland
friend sought to learn whether he is a
candidate for the Republican nomination
for the presidency.During the brief stay of Colonel
Roosevelt in Cleveland W. F. Eirick,
well known locally in politics, greeted
the former president, with whom he is
well acquainted."I want direct answer, colonel,"
said Mr. Eirick. "All your friends
want to know and want to know now
whether you are to be a candidate.""My hat is in the ring," replied
Colonel Roosevelt. "You will have my
answer Monday."

NEW POLITICAL ALIGNMENT

How Progressives View Result of
Roosevelt's Speech.Washington, Feb. 22.—Theodore
Roosevelt's speech at Columbus, O.,
the progressives say, will strengthen
the popular demand for his nomination.One fact looms large from the volume
of speculation which Roosevelt's
views have produced—that a new po-
litical alignment or rather a return to© 1910, by American Press Association
COLONEL ROOSEVELT.the alignment of Lincoln's party, is
impending.In the opinion of politicians here the
speech will serve as a rallying point
around which will gather all men,
whatever their political affiliations,
who believe as the colonel does in re-
spect of the great moral and political
issues to be discussed.In an opposite camp will concentrate
the Republicans who object to his
ideas and their leader will be Presi-
dent Taft.

MORSE APPROVES OF SPEECH

La Follette Supporter Endorses Colo-
nel Roosevelt's Views.Washington, Feb. 22.—Representa-
tive Morse of Wisconsin, one of La
Follette's ardent supporters, made
this comment about Colonel Roose-
velt's speech:"It is a forcible presentation of pro-
gressive principles of popular govern-
ment. I believe all progressive Republi-
cans will endorse Mr. Roosevelt's ut-
terances."Several of the progressives do not
agree with Roosevelt in reference to
recall of the courts, yet they say that
there is so much good in the balance
of the speech he delivered that it more
than compensates for the advanced po-
sition he takes upon the judicial ques-
tion.

FIFTY-SEVEN BLOCKS BURN

Fire Causes About Ten Millions Loss
at Houston, Tex.Houston, Tex., Feb. 22.—Impelled
by a fierce gale from the north fire
swept through the eastern section of
this city, destroying property valued
at nearly \$10,000,000 and rendering
homeless more than a thousand per-
sons.Several large manufacturing plants
were burned down, over 250 homes
were razed by the flames and several
lumber yards, cotton warehouses and
compresses were destroyed. Not less
than fifty-seven city blocks now are
in ashes.

Earthquake in Costa Rica.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Senator Calvo,
the Costa Rican minister, received a
cablegram from San Jose, the capital
of Costa Rica, with the single word
"earthquake" in it. He fears another
catastrophe has taken place.FOREIGN OFFICE
DASHES HOPESGerman Officials Repudiate News-
paper Article.

ANGLO-GERMAN NEGOTIATIONS

Lokal Anzeiger Publishes Optimistic
Article Concerning Alleged New Ac-
cord, but Foreign Office Issues State-
ment Saying Assertions Are Based
Solely on Conjecture and Can Only
Awaken False Hopes or False Fears.Berlin, Feb. 22.—Hopes for the es-
tablishment of more amicable relation
between Germany and Great Britain,
based on the recent visit to Berlin of
Viscount Haldane, the British secre-
tary of war, have not been permitted
to reach too great a height.The Lokal Anzeiger published a
highly optimistic article concerning
the new accord and, as the Lokal An-
zeiger frequently is the mouthpiece of
the government, it was generally as-
sumed that the article had some au-
thoritative foundation.The German foreign office, however,
issued a statement that the article had
no official basis and added:"These assertions are based solely
on conjecture and are therefore only
calculated to awaken false hopes or
false fears."The result of the conversations be-
tween Viscount Haldane and the Ger-
man minister is declared by the Lokal
Anzeiger to have been more favorable
than either side dared to hope and the
world has for a long time had no
such reason for looking confidently
for a peaceful future.The credit of putting an end to the
diplomatic tension between the two
countries is ascribed personally to
King George, who, realizing that the
atmosphere was capable of being
cleared up by frank discussion of the
situation between the two powers,
took steps toward this end before his
departure for India. He found the
subject ripe for discussion upon his
return from India and Viscount Hal-
dane started for Berlin after receiving
an intimation that his visit would be
acceptable.The aim of the present negotiations
appears to be the drafting of a sort
of protocol giving the views of both
parties on great questions of world
politics which will serve as a guide in
their future relations.The protocol will contain mutual as-
surance as to the peaceful and friend-
ly motives of each nation and will
clarify the wishes and plans of both
parties so that conflicts between their
respective interests would be rendered
avoidable in the future by timely dis-
cussion.Neither the African, the colonial nor
the disarmament question figures
prominently in the negotiations which
are still going on. The colonial ques-
tion was already regulated in 1899 and
the question of the future armaments
of the two countries will depend largely
upon the effect the Anglo-American
understanding has upon the general
peace of the world.

ALLEGES VIOLATION OF LAW

Indictment to Force Roads to Relin-
quish Coal Holdings.Albany, N. Y., Feb. 22.—The federal
grand jury returned indictments
against the Delaware and Hudson com-
pany, charging violations of the com-
modity clause of the interstate com-
merce law. Lewis E. Carr of Albany,
counsel for the company, appeared be-
fore the court and entered a plea of
not guilty. There are thirty counts in
the indictments.Special Examiner J. J. Hickey of the
interstate commerce commission
stated that the indictments were the
beginning of a campaign by the gov-
ernment to make the railroads give up
the ownership of anthracite coal mines.

INQUIRY AT DETROIT ENDS

Congressional Committee Hears of In-
dians' Poor Health.Detroit, Minn., Feb. 22.—After listen-
ing to discouraging medical testimony
regarding the health of the White
Earth Indian reservation Indians the
congressional investigating committee
ended its Detroit hearings and de-
parted until 10 o'clock Friday morn-
ing, when the committee will sit in
Minneapolis.It is expected that there will be in-
teresting developments when the com-
mittee digs into the administration,
present and past, of the department of
Indian affairs.Dr. Polk Richards, reservation physi-
cian, said that of the Indians he had
examined so far 60 per cent had tra-
choma, the dread eye disease, 25 per
cent had personal ailments and 20
per cent were suffering from tuber-
culosis in its various forms.

King Frederick Suffers Relapse.

Copenhagen, Feb. 22.—King Fred-
erick, who has been suffering from
lung trouble for some time, suffered
a severe relapse.

SENATOR CLAPP.

Roosevelt's Columbus Speech
Fills Minnesotan With Delight.

Photo by American Press Association

DELIGHTS SENATOR CLAPP

Minnesotan and Others Pleased With
Colonel's Utterance.Washington, Feb. 22.—"I am delig-
hted with it," said Senator Moses E.
Clapp of Minnesota, in commenting on
Colonel Roosevelt's Columbus speech.
"It is a radical speech," observed
Senator Bristow of Kansas, "but it is
just what we desire and it will be
popular with the progressives."Senator George E. Chamberlain of
Oregon, a progressive Democrat, ex-
claimed:"It was a delightful surprise to me.
Of course I approve his speech."Senator La Follette of Wisconsin is
ill, but his friends have no hesita-
tion in saying that Roosevelt, in recog-
nizing the legislative accomplishments of
La Follette in his own state, has done
much to alleviate the soreness La Fol-
lette has felt because of the partial
collapse of his boom.ROOSEVELT FAVORS
RECALL OF JUDGESBelieves American People Cap-
able of Self-Government.Columbus, O., Feb. 22.—"Big busi-
ness," the fitness of the American peo-
ple for self-government, the recall of
judges and praise for the progres-
sive legislation in Wisconsin instituted
by and furthered by Senator La Fol-
lette when he was governor were
topics discussed by Theodore Roose-
velt in an address before the Ohio
constitutional convention here. Colo-
nel Roosevelt chose as his subject, "A
Charter of Democracy."Of what he termed "big business,"
Colonel Roosevelt had this to say:"The anti-trust law does good in so
far as it can be invoked against com-
binations which really are monopolies
or which restrict production or which
artificially raise prices. But in so far
as its workings are uncertain or as it
threatens corporations which have not
been guilty of anti-social conduct it
does harm. There should be a fixed
governmental policy which shall clear-
ly define and punish wrongdoing and
give in advance full information to any
man as to just what he can and just
what he cannot legally and properly do."As to the fitness of the American
people for self-government Colonel
Roosevelt said:"Many eminent lawyers believe that
the American people are not fitted for
popular government and that it is
necessary to keep the judiciary 'in-
dependent' of the majority of the peo-
ple. I take absolute issue with all
those who hold such a position."

Of the recall of judges he said:

"The question is one of expediency
merely. Each community has the
right to try the experiment for itself in
whatever shape it pleases. I do not
believe in adopting the recall save as
a last resort when it has become
clearly evident that no other course
will achieve the desired result."

SOME DOCUMENTS TURN UP

Missing Papers in Charges Against
Major Ray.Washington, Feb. 22.—Some of the
documents in the case of Major Beecher
B. Ray, which were said to be miss-
ing from the war department files,
were turned up and sent to the Helm
committee by Secretary Stimson, who
said the papers had been found in
some personal effects of General J.
Franklin Bell, formerly chief of staff
of the army.The committee had already sub-
poenaed General Tasker H. Bliss, who
was said to have copies of the docu-
ments. Major Ray, who is an army
paymaster, has been under fire before
the committee on charges of political
activities, particularly about the time
the Chicago convention of 1908 nomi-
nated President Taft.

Peace Conference in 1915.

The next peace conference of the
powers, which will be the third, will
meet at The Hague in 1915. The Car-
negie Palace of Peace will be ready
for occupancy two years before that
time, it is expected.HARKING BACK
TO WASHINGTONPoliticians Fond of Quoting His
Reference to Third Term.

IN FORCE ONE HUNDRED YEARS

Not So Keen to Heed His Admonition
Against Entangling Foreign Alliances.
Former Senator Mason Candidate For
Lower House—John Sharp Williams
Tells What Might Have Been.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Feb. 22.—[Special.]—
Washington's farewell address was
never given more emphasis than this
year by those who have had occasion
to use it in celebrating the birth of the
Father of His Country. Every year
the address is read in the senate, and
even the house has occasionally had a
reference to the great truths which
Washington asserted in that famous
document.This year the remark about a third
term was read with great unction by
those who think they see the rough
rider in the distance making for the
White House for his third term, but
by some construed to be only a "sec-
ond elective term." Strong emphasis
has been laid upon what the immortal
George had to say about only two
terms for any president. We are go-
ing to hear more instead of less about
the third term during the next few
months.

Other Washington Precepts.

It is too bad that those who make
Washington the model do not follow
him in other matters. "Avoid entan-
gling foreign alliances," warned Geo-
ge Washington, yet we have more com-
plications with foreign nations than
ever before, and we are constantly
mixing ourselves up still further."Why don't you get into the western
game?" was a question Chamberlain,
the famous British statesman, once
asked Tom Reed."That is what we most want to
avoid," replied Reed, "but the Spanish
war, bringing us the Philippines, put
us 'into the eastern game' to remain
as long as the islands are a part of
this country and under our control and
perhaps as long as the republic lasts."

Most Distinguished Democrat.

Congressman Fitzgerald claims to be
the most distinguished Democrat in
the country. He says that he has
risen to be chairman of one of the
great committees in congress and has
not been mentioned either for presi-
dent or vice president. Any Democrat
of any prominence who in these days
escapes mention for the presidency is
really distinguished.

By Way of the House.

Billy Mason, once a congressman and
then a senator from Illinois, is coming
back to the house on his way back to
the senate when the Lorimer case is
settled. They joked Billy about think-
ing the Lorimer case would ever end,
but he prefers to wait for Lorimer's
seat rather than take any chances on
Shelby Cullom's retirement. Cullom
has often said that there are grave-
yards out in Illinois full of politicians
who have been waiting for his seat.

Proves the Rule.

If any one should ask who is the
most progressive senator in congress
Newlands of Nevada would come very
near getting the most votes, but in one
thing he does not progress. He has
not got the auto habit. He drives from
his country home to the capitol in an
open carriage, behind a handsome pair
of horses.

Soothing Southern Wit.

Let it be said to the credit of the
senator from Mississippi, John Sharp
Williams, that the quality of his wit
is soothing rather than caustic in his
references to the civil war.In supporting his proposition to
place a monument to Confederates in
the Vicksburg National park Mr. Wil-
liams said in his inimitable drawl:"I served in the 'infantry' in arms.
I was not eleven years old until after
Johnston's surrender. I have no doubt
that if I had been born in time there
might have been a different result."The Union might have been dismem-
bered and African slavery perpetuated
upon the American continent. As Brig-
adier Girard said in writing his mem-
oirs, "It is a curious coincidence that
Emperor Napoleon never lost a battle
when I was present and fighting."

Wireless on Aeroplanes.

The signal corps of the army has
long been experimenting with the
problem of equipping aeroplanes with
wireless telegraph outfits light enough
to be carried easily and at the same
time be serviceable. It is now an-
nounced that a successful outfit has
been devised with which all the gov-
ernment machines are to be equipped
as quickly as possible. Major C. McK.
Saltzman has been investigating and
testing various schemes for months
and is responsible for the perfection
of the present apparatus.

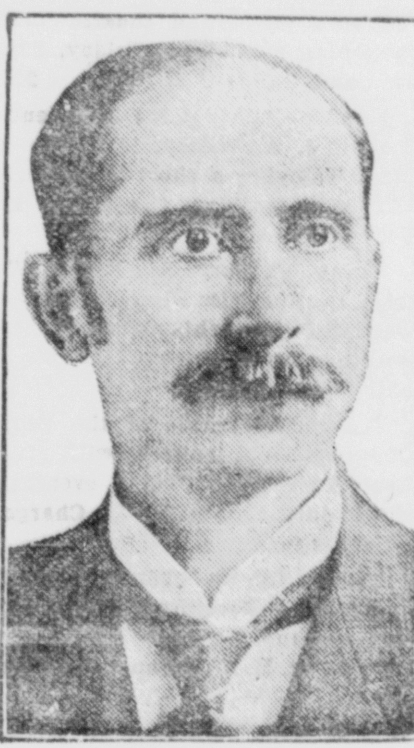
Aid to Congressmen.

Senator Nelson has a proposition pro-
viding for a bureau as an adjunct to
the Congressional Library, which shall
be an aid to congressmen in preparing
legislation, gathering information, find-
ing references and generally be a bu-
reau of information of all sorts for
members of the senate and house. He
may create a little talk with the
scheme, but it is not likely to be adopt-
ed.

What We Get From Petroleum.

Petroleum gives us asphalt paving,
permanent ink for printing, dyes of
brilliant hue and all kinds of rubber
articles, which without the oil could
not be manufactured.

JOSEPH L. BRISTOW.

Declares Details of Stephen-
son Case Will Be Made Public.

CLASH OVER DISPUTED SEATS

Stephenson and Lorimer Cases Occu-
py Day in Senate.Washington, Feb. 22.—The Lorimer
and Stephenson election cases occu-
pied the entire time of the senate.Senator Heyburn, who wrote the ma-
jority report of the investigating com-
mittee which exonerated Senator Steph-
enson, drew a hot reply from Sena-
tor Bristow of Kansas when he an-
nounced that he intended to press the
Stephenson case for continuous con-
sideration until disposed of."The senator may think he can drive
this thing along," retorted Senator
Bristow with some feeling, "but he will
find he is mistaken. There may be
reasons why he does not want the de-
tails of this case exposed, but they
will be presented."MARAUDING BANDS
TERRORIZE MEXICOWidespread Anarchy Causes Un-
easiness at Washington.Washington, Feb. 22.—Advices from
Mexico to the state department, indi-
cating widespread anarchy south of
the Rio Grande, caused much uneas-
iness in official circles. Several cities
and towns are reported to be in the
hands of rebels, protests by Ameri-
cans against robberies are multiply-
ing and robber bands are operating
without apparent interruption through-
out the republic.It is feared here that all that is
needed to plunge Mexico again into
civil strife is the appearance of a leader
who can harmonize the factions
and bring the rebellious elements to-
gether. Sinaloa, Oaxaca and Yucatan
are said to be virtually in a state of
open warfare against the Madero gov-
ernment, while from all quarters of
Mexico reports of raids by marauding
bands continue to increase.Americans in the Cullacan valley, in
South Mexico, have suffered to such
an extent from the operations of rob-
ber bands that they have made an
urgent appeal for aid to the United
States government through Consul Al-
ger. The situation in which Americans
in Mexico find themselves is consid-
ered so serious by the department that
its representatives there have been in-
structed to make semi-weekly reports
in addition to their urgent communi-
cations.

FINDS CASHIER NOT GUILTY

Minneapolis Jury Acquits Former Uni-
versity Employee.Minneapolis, Feb. 22.—Joseph D.
Bren is not guilty. It took the jury
trying the former University of Minne-
sota cashier and assistant treasurer
three hours and fifteen minutes to ar-
rive at its decision.Bren still has four indictments
standing against him and County At-
torney James Robertson says he will
proceed against him under one of
these.The first intimation of anything un-
usual regarding the treasury of the
University of Minnesota came about
noon of June 2, 1911, when Mr. Bren
burst into his offices proclaiming he
had been robbed of a little more than
\$13,000 by highwaymen on the campus.
His arrest followed and the police de-
nied his robbery story. Four indict-
ments, each charging grand larceny,
were returned against him.Examination of his books showed
them to be in a chaotic condition and
Dec. 19 the grand jury indicted him
again, this time on a charge of mis-
appropriating university funds.

UNRAVEL COLOMBIAN TANGLE

Hitchcock Would Have Senate In-
vestigate Canal Zone Trouble.Washington, Feb. 22.—A senate in-
vestigation of Colombia's claim against
the United States in connection with
the Panama republic and the canal
zone and of the arbitration negotia-
tions with Colombia is called for in a
resolution introduced by Senator
Hitchcock of Nebraska.Senator Lodge objected to its im-
mediate adoption and the resolution
was referred to the foreign relations
committee.MIDDLE WEST IN
GRIP OF STORM

CRIME FOLLOWS DICE GAME

Loser Kills Man Who Won Job The
Shook For.Milwaukee, Feb. 22.—A dice game
for a job caused the death of one of
two men out of work and in need of
money for their families. The loser
is accused of manslaughter for caus-
ing the death of Otto Levenenz.Levenenz was found dying in the
gutter in front of a saloon by a po-
liceman, who found that he had been
thrown bodily from the saloon hours
before. Levenenz's skull was broken
and the officer arrested Gallon when
the story of the affair came out.The saloon was in need of a porter
and Levenenz and Gallon had arrived
together in an effort to get the job and
provide food for their children at
home. There was nothing to choose
between them and the bartender did
not know which to select, so the two
decided to shake dice for the position.
Levenenz won. In his desperation Gal-
lon tried to force Levenenz to give up
and let Gallon have the job and then
is alleged to have thrown Levenenz
bodily into the street.

TO STOP STOCK SWINDLES

Steenson Proposes Supervision Over
Mail Order Concerns.Washington, Feb. 22.—A bill that
would put mail order investment com-
panies under the supervision of the
commissioner of corporations was in-
troduced by Representative Steenson
of Minnesota. It would require
submission of plans, assets and liab-
ilities to the government before begin-
ning operations."It has been reported that swind-
ling promoters who were put out of
business last year obtained \$77,000-
000 through advertisements circulated
in the mails," said Mr. Steenson.

HEFNER RAISED THE MONEY

Principal Contributor to Wilson Fund
Not Wall Street Man.Spokane, Wash., Feb. 22.—C. A. Hef-
ner, chairman of the Democratic state
committee, who returned here after a
tour of the Eastern states in the in-
terest of the candidacy of Governor
Woodrow Wilson, announced that he
was the man most active in procuring
the Wilson campaign fund which fig-
ured in the Wilson-Watterson-Harvey
controversy."The largest contribution was by a
wealthy retired business man now in
Egypt for the winter," said Mr. Hef-
ner. "He is not connected with Wall
street. Other contributions were made
in small amounts by college men
throughout the country."

WILL PROBE STEET POOLS

Grand Jury Inquiry Covers More Than
Missing Papers.Washington, Feb. 22.—It is believed
here that the federal grand jury at
New York is inquiring into not only
the alleged destruction of papers want-
ed by the government in the steel
trust civil suits, but also into the var-
ious pools and agreements charged in
the civil bill to ascertain whether
there has been any violation of the
criminal section of the Sherman law.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Feb. 21.—Wheat—To arrive
on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.05½; No.
1 Northern, \$1.04½; No. 2 Northern,
\$1.02½; May, \$1.04; July, \$1.04½; Flax
—On track and to arrive, \$2.04½;
May, \$2.05.

St. Paul Live Stock.

St. Paul, Feb. 21.—Cattle—Good to
choice steers, \$6.00@7.00; fair to good,
\$4.75@6.00; good to choice cows and
heifers, \$4.50@5.50; veals, \$5.75@6.00.
Hogs—\$5.75@6.10. Sheep—Wethers,
\$3.00@4.25; yearlings, \$3.25@5.25;
spring lambs, \$4.00@6.25.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Feb. 21.—Wheat—May,
\$1.04½; July, \$1.05½; Sept., \$1.06½; Corn
—May, 67½¢@68¢; July, 67½¢@68¢; Sept.,
67½¢@68¢. Oats—May, 52½¢; July,
47½¢; Sept., 40½¢@41¢. Pork—May,
\$15.50; July, \$15.70. Butter—Cream-
eries, 23¢@25¢; dairies, 21¢@25¢. Eggs
—23¢@25¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 14¢@19¢;
chickens, 12½¢@14¢; springs, 12½¢@14¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 21.—Cattle—Beaves,
\$4.70@5.50; Texas steers, \$4.50@5.65;
Western steers, \$4.80@7.00; stockers
and feeders, \$3.80@6.10; cows and
heifers, \$2.00@6.40; calves, \$5.50@7-
75. Hogs—Light, \$5.90@6.30; mixed,
\$5.94@6.35; heavy, \$5.95@6.35; rough,
\$5.90@6.10; pigs, \$4.35@6.00. Sheep—
Native, \$3.30@4.75; yearlings, \$4.80@
5.75; lambs, \$4.50@6.85.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Feb. 21.—Wheat—May,
\$1.04½; July, \$1.05½@1.05½. Cash
close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.05; No.
1 Northern, \$1.04½; to arrive, \$1.04½;
No. 2 Northern, \$1.02@1.02½; to ar-
rive, \$1.02@1.02½; No. 3 Northern,
\$1.00@1.00½; No. 3 yellow corn, 62¢
@63¢; No. 4 corn, 51¢@55¢; No. 3 white
oats, \$4.95@4.95; to arrive, 49¢; No.
3 oats, 46¢@47½¢; barley, 72¢@1.17;
\$1.14, \$2.05; to arrive, \$2.05.Blinding Snow and Fierce Gale
Block Traffic.

DRIFTS ON CHICAGO STREETS

Disturbance Reaches Its Greatest In-
tensity in Windy City and North-
ern and Central Illinois, but Eastern
Iowa and Missouri, Southern Wis-
consin and Michigan and Northern
Indiana Feel Blizzard to Consider-
able Extent.Chicago, Feb. 22.—A blinding snow
storm, driven by a fifty-mile-an-hour
gale, swept down on the Middle
West, blocked traffic, played pranks
with the routine of human affairs and
swept eastward in the direction of
Northern Ohio, Pennsylvania and
New York. The thermometer ranged
between 20 and 24 degrees and little
suffering from cold was reported. Sev-
eral deaths in wrecks are attributed
indirectly to the storm.The storm reached its greatest in-
tensity in Chicago and Northern and
Central Illinois, although Eastern
Iowa and Missouri, Southern Wiscon-
sin and Michigan and Northern In-
diana felt the blizzard to a consid-
erable extent.Drifts of snow several feet in height
accumulated in Chicago's streets until
traffic was seriously crippled. A force
of 500 laborers and 350 teams was put
at work cleaning the streets. Snow
plows struggled on both steam and
electric lines.Suburban trains were from thirty
minutes to an hour late on nearly all
lines. Many public and private schools
were dismissed.

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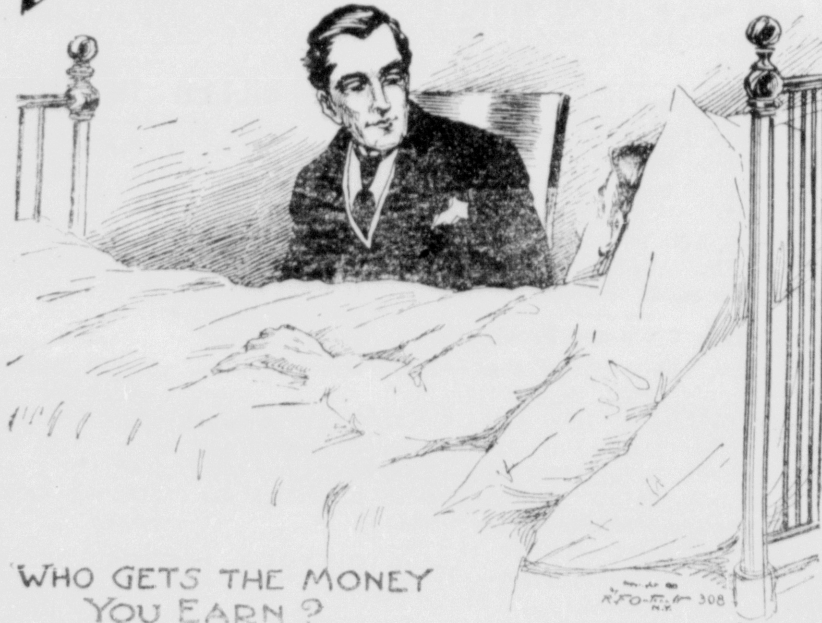
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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1912

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Roland Jenkins went to Breckin-
ridge this noon.

R. E. Tuttle went to Minneapolis
Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry I. Cohen returned last
night from Chicago.

F. J. Thomas, of Deerwood, was a
Brainerd visitor today.

Dance at Bakkila hall Sat., Feb. 24.
Gentlemen 25c, ladies free.

A. F. Claus went to Cannon Falls
today to visit his mother-in-law.

John Willis and B. V. McGivern
went to the twin cities this afternoon.

J. S. Donley, of Scotland, S. D., is
visiting Judge and Mrs. J. H. Warner.

A girl baby was born last week to
Attorney and Mrs. Ford, of Pine River.

Turkish baths at Ridley's Gymna-
sium. 1611f

Miss Mary Cuddihy returned to-
day from Pine River where she nursed
a patient.

Herman Peterson and G. A. Oberg
of Oreland, were in the city on busi-
ness yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. J. Smith left last
night for Jacksonville, Florida, to be
absent a month.

The government thermometer at
the Gull lake dam registered 10 be-
low this morning.

Patrick Murphy has been engaged
as village marshal of Ironton at a
salary of \$60 per month.

Miss Caroline L. Morrison went to
Chicago today where she will select
the latest styles in spring hats.

Miss Mabel Kronberg went to Far-
go, N. D., this afternoon where she
will visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. F. S. Parker went to St. Paul
for a short visit, after which she will
visit relatives in Milwaukee, Wis.

Rev. C. W. Boquist, of the Swedish
Mission church, officiated at a wed-
ding in Aitkin yesterday afternoon.

Rev. W. S. Traacy, of Santiago,
Minn., was a visitor at the home of
his son-in-law, R. E. Tuttle, yester-
day.

Watch for our announcement for
Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Grand
theatre. 2204t

The Ladies' Aid society of the First
Baptist church will meet with Mrs.
Blake of West Brainerd Friday after-
noon.

Yeoman Lodge, No. 1691, will give
a card party at Odd Fellow hall Fri-
day night. Luncheon 15c. All in-
vited. 12

S. G. Latta, cashier of the First Na-
tional bank of Crosby, returned to-

day from a business trip to the twin
cities.

Miss Eleanor Anderson and Little
Jack Anderson went to Superior Wed-
nesday afternoon to visit their grand
mother.

Wilson Bradley, secretary of the
Oreland Townsite Co., of Deerwood,
was in the city today on his way to
Minneapolis.

Miss Edith Bohlke, the visiting
nurse, returned today from a short
visit with her brother, Tony Bohlke
and family at Hubert.

The S. E. B. C. will give their
dance at Walker hall Thursday eve-
ning, February 29. They have se-
cured good music and a large crowd is
expected.

Watch the Grand theatre ad for
something special for Friday, Satur-
day and Sunday. 2204t

Former County Superintendent of
Schools J. A. Wilson, is in the city
today enjoying a short vacation. He
has been teaching the school near
Federal Dam.

Frank Whitford, Sr., Frank Whit-
ford, Jr., and Miss Florence Whitford
went to Pillager this noon where they
will play for a dance at Bacon's hall
this evening.

The young people of the Peoples
Congregational church will give a
Leap Year party Friday evening in
the lecture hall at 7:30. Charge of
10 cents for lunch. Come.

Tickets for the charity concert to
be given at the Library hall Wednes-
day evening, February 28 are now
on sale at H. P. Dunn's drug store.
Adults 25 cents and children 15 cents.

Miss Nora King, of 510 Broadway
North, is at St. Joseph's hospital
where she was operated on Tuesday
for appendicitis. She rallied well
from the shock and is recovering
nicely.

The Dorcas Young Peoples society
of the Swedish Mission church
will meet Friday evening, February
23, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs.
John Olson, 1514 East Laurel street.
Everybody is cordially invited.

Homestead No. 602, B. A. Y. will
celebrate its anniversary at Iron Ex-
change hall Friday evening, Feb. 23,
with a literary and musical program,
dance and luncheon. Members and
ladies free, gentlemen not members
25 cents. 12

J. M. Walker, of Winnipeg, the
head of the Walker Theatre Com-
pany, which has a theatre circuit
consisting of Brainerd, Winnipeg,
Fargo, Crookston and Grand Forks
was in the city today on business con-
nected with the local theatre.

Vaudeville At the GRAND TOMORROW

The Degree of Honor lodge gave a
party Tuesday evening at Elks hall
which was a most successful event.
Refreshments were served and the
coffee was fine, that beverage being
served by Theo. Fee, of Duluth, the
demonstrator of the grocery firm of
Stone, Ordean, Wells & Co.

A surprise party was given O. W.
Merwin at his home on 4th avenue by
a number of his many friends. He
was the recipient of a token of their
friendship it being his birthday.
Lunch was served by the ladies.
Games were played and a general
good time was enjoyed by all.

The "Do Your Best" class of the
Presbyterian Sunday school was en-
tertained at the home of Miss Marvel
Putz on Wednesday evening, the party
being given in honor of her 15th
birthday. A program consisting of
songs, recitations and musical selec-
tions was given. Refreshments
were served. Thirteen of her class-
mates were present and all enjoyed
a very pleasant time.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for
quality. Order a case. Telephone
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Gustave H. Woerner went to Min-
neapolis today as a delegate from the
local Modern Woodmen lodge to voice
a protest against the inauguration of
the high insurance rates. Early this
morning some of the other delegates
left to attend the meeting and they
included L. T. Noggle, T. T. Elack-
burn, Richard Ise, Tim Toohy, Pete
Peterson and M. E. Morrison. The
protest meeting will take up most of
Thursday and probably last until Fri-
day morning. All will attend the
banquet at the Radisson hotel this
evening.

I make hair switches and puffs
from combings; also color faded hair
switches. Mrs. T. Johnson, 318 10th
street north. 22016p

The Mahlum lumber shed and of-
fices were completed this afternoon
and the firm will soon occupy their
new quarters. The contractors were
White Brothers and they performed
their work fully up to contract and
completed it before the time called
for. The building is approximately
48 by 140 feet in size and is four
lumber stories in height. It is con-
siderable improvement over the
buildings erected by the company in
Deerwood and Crosby. It is said the
Brainerd Ice company will estab-
lish an office in the building.

The funeral services over the re-
mains of the late George Forsyth

were most impressive Wednesday af-
ternoon. In the morning an escort
of Knights Templar, Messrs. Judd
Wright, George A. Keene, John Car-
lson, George Grewcock, George D. La-
Bar, E. C. Bane, Dr. O. T. Batcheller
and N. H. Ingersoll accompanied the
remains from the home to the Masonic
hall where they lay in state from
nine o'clock in the morning until the
hour of the funeral and were viewed
by many citizens. The services at
the hall were conducted by Rev. J.
R. Alten, rector of St. Paul's Epis-
copal church. Mrs. E. L. Ludwig
sang a solo and there was a selec-
tion by the choir of the church. At
the grave the ceremonies were in
charge of the Masons. The pall bear-
ers were Edward Crust, William H.
Bondy, George Whitney, James Davis,
David Fullerton and J. A. Eriksson.
The Knights Templar escort to the
grave numbered a dozen Sir Knights.
Among the prominent Masonic of-
ficials present was J. G. Houghton, of
Minneapolis, the grand high priest of
the state Royal Arch Masons. The
casket was buried under flowers, the
tokens of the many friends of the de-
ceased, of the Masonic orders and
other orders of the state and city,
and of the various unions and organ-
ization of Brainerd.

Almost Lost His Life
S. A. Stid, of Mason, Mich., will
never forget his terrible exposure to
a merciless storm. "It gave me a
dreadful cold," he writes, "that
caused severe pains in my chest, so it
was hard for me to breathe. A neigh-
bor gave me several doses of Dr.
King's New Discovery which brought
great relief. The doctor said I was
on the verge of pneumonia, but to
continue with the Discovery. I did
so and two bottles completely cured
me." Use only this quick, safe, re-
liable medicine for coughs, colds, or
any throat or lung trouble. Price
50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.
Guaranteed by all druggists. tfs

HARBERTUNNNIBERTUNNIA.
It's a Chicago Girl's Front Name—The
Other Is Pillow.
The possessor of probably the long-
est name in Chicago appeared in
Judge William E. Dever's court. She
is a girl fifteen years old, and her
name is Harbertunnnibbertunnnia Pil-
low.
"What is your name?" asked the
judge.
"Harbertunnnibbertunnnia Pillow,
sir," she said.
"What's that?" queried the court.
"Spell it."
The girl did so with ease. She said
her parents and friends called her
Harbertunnni for short.

NO CANADA TRIP FOR TAFT.
Will Be Too Busy, President's Reply to
Connaughts' Invitation.
President Taft will have no time to
attend the dry farming congress of
America to be held at Lethbridge next
September, according to a communica-
tion received by the Alberta govern-
ment from the president. He had been
invited by the Duke of Connaught,
who will be present.
Secretary James Wilson, the pres-
ident wrote, will represent the United
States government at the congress.
Mr. Taft said he would be in the vic-
inity of Lethbridge during the cam-
paign, but would be too busy to cross
the border.

GOOD NATURE.
Good nature is more agreeable
in conversation than wit, and it gives
that to the countenance which is
more pleasing than beauty.

Deafness Cannot be Cured
by local applications, as they cannot
reach the diseased portion of the ear.
There is only one way to cure deafness,
and that is by constitutional remedies.
Deafness is caused by an inflamed con-
dition of the mucous lining of the Eus-
tachian Tube. When this tube is in-
flamed you have a rumbling sound or im-
perfect hearing, and when it is entirely
closed, deafness is the result, and un-
less the inflammation can be taken out
and the tube restored to its normal con-
dition, hearing will be destroyed for-
ever, nine cases out of ten are caused
by Catarrh, which is nothing but an in-
flamed condition of the mucous sur-
faces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for
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arrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's
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Mrs. Murphy will leave shortly for Chicago, New York and the Eastern Dry
Goods markets where Mrs. Murphy will study the styles and select lots of
pretty things for "The Store of Quality." "It's the Murphy Way"—If there
is anything special you want—anything Different or if we can assist you in
any way let us know for we are at your service.

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It takes a lady to study the styles for the women
It takes a lady to select the pretty things
It takes a lady to see those classy, dainty goods

That's Why:—You always see such pretty things shown at this store.

The Geo. F. Murphy Co. "The Store of Quality"

MUSIC AND DRAMA

At the Grand

The Raffin Vaudeville road show
will play at the Grand for three days
including one matinee Saturday af-
ternoon. This show is said to be very
fine and should pack the Grand thea-
tre to capacity during its stay here.

The feature act with the show is
the Raffin troupe of trained monkeys.
The animals do everything from
high jumping to flying trapeze work.
They even wait upon table and do a
disrobing act in high trapeze bars.

The Musical Walters have a Euro-
pean Novelty act. This team is di-
rect from Europe and play on the
most wonderful instruments, and also
carry special electrical effects, the fea-
ture of the act is playing and danc-
ing at the piano and banjo at the
same time.

Monahan, the Commercial Traveler,
appears in a fine ventriloquist act.
It is said he can throw his voice in
almost any place in the theatre. He
also has the reputation of keeping
his audience in one continual roar of
laughter.

The added attraction of the pro-
gram is Baby Alice the Child Won-
der. This little mite of four years
keeps her audience in the best of hu-
mor all through her act. There will
be the usual splendid pictures and a
two hour and a half show. The
prices will be 15 and 35 cents.

Shocking Sounds

In the earth are sometimes heard be-
fore a terrible earthquake, that warn
of the coming peril. Nature's warn-
ings are kind. That dull pain or ache
in the back warns you the kidneys
need attention if you would escape
those dangerous maladies, Dropsy, Di-
abetes, or Bright's disease. Take El-
ectric Bitters at once and see back-
ache fly and all your best feelings re-
turn. "My son received great bene-
fit from their use for kidney and
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OUTDOOR SLEEPERS' SOCIETY

**Fresh Air Fiends to Hear Weary Wil-
lies and Others at Convention.**

Chicago fresh air fiends have called
a convention of outdoor sleepers for
an exchange of experiences and ideas.
"Weary Willie" of the park bench will
be welcome and as a veteran in the
fad will be expected to add to the
knowledge of the more recent sleep-
ers. It is the purpose to form a so-
ciety to encourage outdoor sleeping.
D. J. Heupiman, a leader of the Chi-
cago porch sleepers, said:

"If you are nervous all that is nec-
essary is to raise the roof off your bed-
room, if you are anemic you need
only to cut out the outer wall, and if
you are despondent without due cause
simply pick up your bed and take it
out on the porch or some other con-
venient out of door location. You get
much more refreshment from your
sleep outdoors and you seldom dream."

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SATURDAY—3:00 P. M.

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The resignation of Henry A. Chris-
tian as dean of the Harvard Medical
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tion.

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trade for property close to
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\$10,000 BONDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS

Deerwood Council Goes on Record as Favoring Street, Sidewalk and Other Improvements

VILLAGE ATTY. UHL RESIGNS

People of the Range Want a Theatre Train to Brainerd When There are Good Shows

Deerwood, Minn., February 22.—At the village council meeting Wednesday evening the council went on record as favoring the issuance of \$10,000 bonds for street, sidewalk and other improvements in Deerwood and the question, no doubt, will be brought before the people at the village election on March 12. The final steps in assessing the benefits accruing from the opening of the street in the west of Deerwood were taken. Village Attorney Alfred W. Uhl, of Crosby, resigned.

C. B. Wright has circulated an anti-saloon petition and the question of having Deerwood wet or dry will be voted on at the March election.

So far there has been little said about the candidacy of any persons for village positions and the seeming silence on the subject appears to show that the people are well satisfied with the present officers.

People of Deerwood, Crosby, Cuyuna and Ironton are agitating the question of having a theatre train for Brainerd whenever a good show plays in that town. Many of the range residents are from Dakota and other points where the Northern Pacific and Great Northern railways have run special theatre trains and picked up people within a radius of 100 miles for attendance at good shows. It is believed that broaching the subject to the proper officials of the Lake Superior division will result in the establishing of a theatre train which will start, say from Aitkin, and will stop at all intermediate points on its way to Brainerd and take the people to the show. This train could leave Aitkin at 6, Deerwood at 7 and arrive at Brainerd at 8. Returning it would leave Brainerd immediately after the show, passing the midnight Duluth train on its return trip. The "Balkan Princess" was the cause of a general demand on the part of the people for this kind of a train and they were going to get it if even they had to rent a switch engine and a coach.

The Knights of Columbus had a "get together" meeting on Thursday evening. There is no council at Deerwood and the 15 or 20 members there all belong to the Brainerd lodge.

H. J. Ernster, of the First National bank, has sold a number of steamship tickets to Sweden during the week.

Charles G. Osterlund has returned from a business trip to Minneapolis, where he selected a \$1,500 soda fountain with a marble front and plate glass mirrors and Deerwood people may rest content that he will serve them sodas from the finest fountain on the range.

A dance and banquet was given at the Adams hotel Saturday evening.

The banquet and dance at the Guelker hotel Monday evening drew an attendance of at least 75 people. William Guelker, the proprietor, presided at the formal opening and was really surprised to witness the attendance which overflowed the hotel. The menu consisted of Blue Point cocktail, chicken broth, roast duck, salad, ice cream and coffee. During the banquet Knuppel's orchestra discoursed sweet music. After the meal there was an adjournment to Hilyar's hall where all enjoyed a dance. It was a most successful function and shows that Deerwood people believe in patronizing a well conducted and managed hotel and doing

all they can to add to the success of the new enterprise.

The American Mica & Phosphate Co., of which C. J. O'Connell is president, has established its general offices in Minneapolis. The company has large beds of mica in southern Canada and is mining them. The corporation is capitalized at \$500,000.

The Presbyterian church is taking subscriptions for the construction of their new church which will be built on a lot recently purchased for \$250. The church will be of modern design and is estimated to cost about \$2,500. It will measure 50 by 140 feet in size and will occupy the lot near the Masson residence. Rev. W. H. Elges is the pastor of the church.

Many of Deerwood's stores observed a half holiday on Washington's birthday.

The "Convict's Daughter" was presented at the village opera house Monday evening. There was a change in the cast, Miss Sadie Mausten taking the part of the heroine and Mr. Wedgewood being the deeply dyed villain of the play. Every one liked the play and it was so well received that the Cuyuna dramatic company will present it at Aitkin too.

The street commissioner has been ordered to repair a portion of the Forest road in the west end of town. Carlson & Crone, H. J. Hage and O. C. Coffin have installed a "union delivery," employing one man to deliver goods for all three stores. This gives patrons of the three stores two regular deliveries daily.

MORE DOUBLE TRACK

Northern Pacific Railway to Build From Rices to Philbrook This Coming Summer

The division superintendents of the Northern Pacific railroad held their second monthly meeting in Staples this week. Division Superintendent Birdsall, of Jamestown; Sovereign, of Staples; Johnson, of Duluth; Nicoles, of Duluth; Kline, of St. Paul, and General Superintendent Blanchard were present, with other members. Future meetings will be held at Staples.

The Northern Pacific railroad will complete the double track from Phil-

ARE RIGGING UP FOR AIR AT ADAMS

Preparations Being Made at the Adams Mine to Install Air For Sinking Shaft

CEMENT PROBLEM IN WINTER

Work on Two Story Hotel at Oreland to be Commenced Soon—Oreland Street Work

Oreland, Minn., February 22.—Preparations are being made at the Adams mine in section 30, township 46, range 28 to install the necessary machinery for air work which will be prosecuted as soon as a sufficient depth is reached. The mine is now down 65 feet and so far Supt. Collar has met with no great obstacles and has made remarkably good progress. The problem of doing cement work when the thermometer was at low ebb caused some trouble, but it has been solved by putting ten stoves within the mouth of the shaft whenever cement work was being done. A heavy tarpaulin over the shaft retained the heat within and assisted in drying the cement and preventing freezing. Considerable mining timber is being bought by the mining company in Deerwood and is being shipped out to the mine. Engineer C. T. Watson, of Deerwood, is the inspector supervising the cement work, acting for the fee owners.

Considerable question has been raised by the people of Deerwood and other towns as to why the Cuyuna Northern railway meandered about with such a route from Deerwood to the Adams mine, but the rumor that other mines are to be established along the right-of-way, shows that the railway company built a line to serve the various large ore bodies enroute as well as a road to serve the Adams mine. If the company simply desired to serve the Adams mine a short spur could have been built directly south from Klondike on the Northern Pacific railway.

The ore body immediately south of Oreland, it is said, will be drilled every 50 feet.

The Oreland Townsite Co. has con-

that he was only struck a glancing blow which gashed his nose. No blame is attached to any one for the accident.

The Presbyterian church is agitating the question of building a church at Oreland in the summer.

Main street, Central avenue, First avenue west and First street north have been cleared and the men and teams are now working on First street south.

Werner Hemstead, of the Brainerd Brewing Co., was at Oreland Tuesday.

Work on the new hotel, to be 50 by 70 feet in size and two stories in height, will soon be commenced. Four front rooms on the second floor will be made into offices. The other second floor rooms will be hotel rooms and one will be a large central reception room. On the main floor will be the restaurant, also the bar of Herman Peterson. A full basement will be under the building.

J. Telline, a Virginia contractor, examined the lots at Oreland this week and will purchase, it is said, several corner lots.

LITTLE GIRL'S TRIP

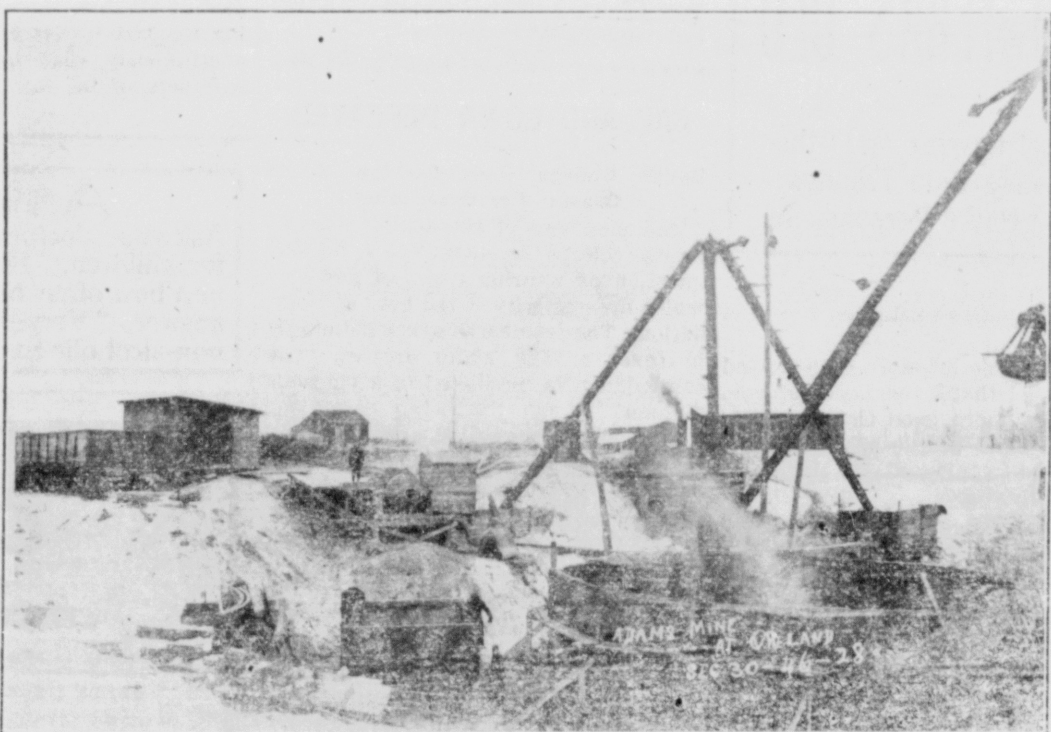
Five Year Old Lillian Fulmer Darrell Makes Journey Alone From Sacramento to Brainerd

Little Lillian Fulmer Darrell, aged five, made the trip half way across the American continent all alone. Lillian was properly tagged and her independent, self reliant demeanor so endeared her to the passengers that they filled her pockets with money and gave her other tokens of their good will. She left Sacramento, California on Sunday evening and arrived in Brainerd Wednesday afternoon, where she was met at the depot by her uncle, Wilmer Holmes.

Notice

There will be a meeting of the Farmers club at the Commercial club rooms in the Iron Exchange building Saturday, February 24th at 1 P. M. All farmers interested, whether members or not, are cordially invited.

F. H. GRUENHAGEN, Pres.
HENRY BOUCK, Sec'y.
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View of the cement shaft work at the Adams mine in section 30, township 46, range 28, situated near the newly platted town of Oreland. The Adams shaft is now down about 65 feet and Supt. Collar is meeting with

good success in his work of sinking. Twenty-five men are employed and they recently commenced working two shafts. The mine is situated on the Cuyuna Northern railway which installed freight service the first of the year and has greatly facilitated con-

struction work, as prompt shipments of cement, steel, timbers and machinery are made over the road. It is rumored that a shaft similar to this will in the near future be commenced in the vicinity of the Adams mine.

He Won't Limp Now

No more limping for Tom Moore of Cochran, Ga. "I had a bad sore on my instep that nothing seemed to help till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve," he writes, "but this wonderful healer soon cured me." Heals old running sores, ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, bruises, eczema or piles. Try it. Only 25 cents at all druggists. Its

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SPRING DRAWS NIGH

WHY ARE THE BIRDS OF SPRING TIME HAPPY? IS NOT ONE GOOD REASON, BECAUSE THEY ARE ALWAYS WEARING THEIR GAY PLUMAGE--BECAUSE THEY ARE BEAUTIFULLY DRESSED? DON'T YOU, YOURSELF FEEL IN BETTER SPIRITS WHEN YOU HAVE ON BRIGHT, BRAND NEW CLOTHES? OF COURSE YOU DO. TO PREPARE YOU FOR THE ARRIVAL OF SPRING, WE HAVE FILLED OUR STORE WITH RELIABLE, ENCHANTING, NEW SPRING THINGS TO WEAR. BUY YOUR NEW CLOTHES NOW AND BE READY WHEN "SPRING" ARRIVES.

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Customers' Waiting Room

Chicago, February 20th, 1912.

To Our Patrons,
Brainerd, Minn.,
Kind Friends:—

Were I to tell you that the more I look through other stores and search the markets for styles, the more pleased I am with our own store in Brainerd, you might say that I am blindly prejudiced. "Distance may lend enchantment," but when one seeks for new things of merit, he finds it exceedingly difficult to find the variety where the price range must be considered.

I am being entertained by friends while here, and the lady of the home asked me to make a small purchase for her; it was for an article which I supposed would be found in any city store, and so did she; I made four inquiries for it but failed to find it. Thinking that perhaps I was not "on to the city of Chicago," she herself then made a most thorough search of the city for it, without success.

I tell you this to illustrate a point often overlooked. In these days of close competition, merchants must limit their stocks to a certain size if they would make them profitable, and in so doing must carry only those things for which there is enough demand to warrant a quick turnover of stock.

This fact is not given the consideration it should have, and our local stores are often sharply criticised for what is a virtue instead of a fault. Every now and again I hear of someone who has made a thorough search of "the cities" for some article, without success.

But I digress; my theme is supposed to be "Dry Goods in Chicago." I told you yesterday that I would soon announce another new department of "Michael's" Department Store. I have purchased some materials, and have more to purchase for our new Rug, Drapery and Window Shade department. We believe that the time has come for us to enlarge the scope of our store to meet the needs of the growing city and community of Brainerd, and we have long considered establishing a good rug and drapery department. We believe you will appreciate this new section and hope to have it merit your patronage.

In my purchases today I secured some most beautiful things in the latest neckwear: Jabots, Frills, Collars and the ribbon flowers. The telling about them may seem common place but--see them when they come in. This lot too, is the very best I have ever seen in popular priced neckwear, as it will sell at from 25c to 35c.

I also purchased some of the new macramae laces which will be so justly popular this year.

Most truly yours,

Michael

FINNISH CHURCH IS PROSPERING

Rev. John Wargelin, of Republic, Mich., Preached at Finnish Lutheran Church

CONGREGATION NUMBER 160

D. Samanen, Theological Student of Suomi College, to Preach There Regularly

On Tuesday evening and Thursday morning Rev. John Wargelin, of Republic, Mich., preached at the Finnish Lutheran church, situated on the corner of Quince and Fourteenth streets. The sermons had a special bearing on the Lenten season.

The congregation is prospering and now numbers 160. The former pastor, Rev. Pesonen, has been transferred to a new charge at Hancock, Mich., leaving this congregation about two months ago.

D. Samanen, a theological student of Suomi college, Hancock, Mich., will preach for the local congregation and under his guidance the church is expected to make great gains in membership.

CUYUNA NOTES

Officials of the United States Steel Corporation Visit the Town and Inspect Drills

Cuyuna, Minn., February 22.—Officials of the United States Steel corporation visited Cuyuna this week and inspected the drills the company is operating in the immediate neighborhood of the town. They traveled in a special car on the Northern Pacific railway and were taken over the Lake Superior division by Superintendent K. M. Nicoles, of Duluth.

The school will give an entertainment at the Ideal theatre Thursday evening.

The village council will assist the band by buying a bass drum and a bass horn on condition that the band will do its part blowing for Cuyuna.

A masquerade dance will be given at the Ideal theatre Saturday evening.

Bemidji Elects Socialist Mayor
F. M. Malzahn was elected mayor of Bemidji at the municipal election held Tuesday. He ran on the Socialist ticket and won over his nearest opponent by nineteen votes. Mr. Malzahn was given a total of 369 votes out of 925 cast. The total vote is said to be the biggest ever cast in this city. William McCuaig stood second on the final count with a total of 290 votes. Johnson totaled 287 and Kreatz 39.

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HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Dining room girl at the City hotel. 207tf

WANTED—Sewing by the day. Margaret Schmalz, 824 Front St. 2226p

WANTED—A man to work at the real estate business. Apply to E. C. Bane. 216

FOR SALE

FOR SALE CHEAP—One 85 horse power boiler. Apply to Wm. Wood. 217tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 420 North Broadway. 2214

Furnished flat for light housekeeping in the Pearce block. 191tf

FOR RENT—Four room flat in Lagerquist block. Apply at block. 219tf

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But a Sale that is a Sale and Prices that are Sale Prices. Pictures that are worth Five Dollars are selling at Two Dollars and Fifty Cents Those worth Two Dollars are selling at One Dollar. We do not change the price mark but cut the price in two.
This sale began Jan. 18th and lasts for one week or until the goods are gone.
Lozey & Dean

WOMAN TELLS OF STEEL WORKERS' LIVES.
How an Income of Less Than \$12 a Week is Spent.
Miss M. F. Byington, a Pittsburgh "social survey worker," related to the Stanley steel committee at Washington her experiences among steel laborers at Homestead, Pa., during the winter of 1907-8.
"My investigations have shown," said Miss Byington, "that it is impossible to maintain a normal standard of living on less than \$15 a week. At present 65 per cent of the employees of the Homestead plant are day laborers, who are paid about \$10.50 a week."
The family of a steel worker who received less than \$12 a week spent its income, she said, as follows:
Rent, \$1.88; food, \$4.16; clothing, 94 cents; furniture, 9 cents; fuel, 38 cents; insurance, 70 cents; miscellaneous, 92 cents.
The expenditure for rent, the witness said, represented two small rooms in an insanitary court, where the "death rate was double the normal and where comfort was impossible."
Workers earning \$20 classified their expenditures as follows, according to Miss Byington's tables:
Rent, \$3.73; food, \$9.38; furniture, 80 cents; clothing, 36 cents; fuel, 90 cents; insurance, \$1.08; miscellaneous, \$5.22.
Families of steel workers add to their scanty income by taking single men to board, the witness stated, and the rent for sleeping quarters in the squalid houses was \$3 a month.
"A single man can get the bare necessities of life for \$11 a month," she said.
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G. B. LEWIS, DEAN OF AMERICAN HUMORISTS, IS 70 YEARS OLD
Under Pen Name of M. Quad He Has Made Millions Laugh in Past Forty Years.
Creator of Bowser and Other Characters Gets Tributes From Noted Persons.

CHALES B. LEWIS, America's dean of humorists, who recently celebrated the twentieth anniversary of his birth, is more familiarly known as M. Quad. In the past forty years millions of newspaper readers have laughed over the doings and sayings of the many characters he has given to the world of humor—Mr. and Mrs. Bowser; Brother Gardner of the Limekiln club; the Arizona Kicker; Colonel Banker, the grand promoter; Old Pap Pinkham of the Jericho postoffice; Honest Abe, U. S. M.; the German cobbler and many others.
M. Quad may be said to have created more humorous characters than any other humorous writer and probably has written, word for word, more humor than any other funny man. Since 1899 he has averaged 10,000 words of humorous matter every week.
On his attainment of threescore and ten years M. Quad was the guest of a number of his fellow humorists, who presented him with a handsome leather bound and gold mounted album containing their congratulations and their appreciations of his work. Some of the tributes follow:
George Ade:
"One of my earliest recollections is that of sprawling on the floor, giggling over the Limekiln club. Little did I think that some day I might grow up and try to write the same kind of stuff! We are glad to have you with us this year. You are a marvel for long distance and high speed. Best wishes."
Ellis Parker Butler, author of "Tigs Is Pigs":
"Out there in Iowa, along in the late seventies and early eighties, I was a kid, and two cross currents swung me this way and the other. A dearly beloved aunt fed me safe doses of Mark Twain and Tennyson and Long fellow, and some of the poems I wrote were bad enough to appear in the magazines of today. I was within an inch of being a poet. But I had a father—got him still, thank heaven!—and he would sit in that deep old green easy chair and chuckle and gurgled and choke over the Detroit Free Press night after night. I couldn't see that any one chuckled and gurgled and choked over Matthew Arnold, and it seemed to me that the coddler that could take a tired man and give him hours of mirth and merriment was doing a mighty good job. So you are the guilty man!
"I mention this that your seventieth birthday may have a proper tinge of regret. If you ever read any of my stuff you'll know what you have been guilty of. But when you Maker charges you with this crime you can say: 'I know. I know I'm responsible for a bum humorist, but think what a dod rotten poet he would have been!'
Strickland Gillilan, who produced "On Again, Off Again, Fumigan":
"On you more than on any other person rests the onus of my death dealing career as an alleged and confessed humorist.
"When I was seven years old I had a scrap book filled with things of yours pasted in with paste made laboriously from flour boiled in an old battered tin cup on our old step stove in southern Ohio.
"That was the influencing thing in my early and particularly plastic stage. Then I saw that humor kept away the pain of trouble if not the trouble itself, that it was the anesthetic God applies to deaden the pain of living.
"I feel a whole lot more than tickled about you. I thank the Lord for you. You've done more good than a whole lot of sad eyed people who wouldn't want to be mentioned in the same chapter with you.
"Go on! We young fellows all worship you and want you to live forever, to show us what poor stuff ours is and keep us humble enough to work hard at it."
Walt Mason, the Emporia (Kan.) prose versifier:
"Happy veteran of mirth! You have sent around the earth joyous smiles these many years. Generations dried their tears, which were dripping on their vests, as they read your wholesome jests. Can a man do better work than to conquer gloom and jerk all the features from its tail? He who teaches that a wail is a cheap and sordid thing, that it's best to smile and sing, is a teacher I admire; hence this twanging of my lyre. May you reach a green old age, kindly jester, smiling sage! And in heaven there will be further harmony and glee when a genial, mirthful God says he's needing you, M. Quad!"
S. E. Kiser:
"May you in nineteen thirty-two be with us, hearty still and hale. To teach us, as you daily do, That humor never need grow stale; To show to us, who sometimes fear Our efforts are of little worth, That merriment year after year Allows to youth a newer birth.
Samuel G. Blythe:
"First off, I think and know that in these seventy years of yours you have given more enjoyment to more people than any other of our time, and that should make you happy and probably does.
"And, second, I hope you will live many more years and keep it up.
"I add my felicitations and congratulations and tender my sincerest regard."
Tom Masson, associate editor of Life:
"Greetings from an old friend on your birthday. You may not recall the fact, but I was the editor who first had the pleasure of seeing your Arizona Kicker start on its glorious career. I remember well the effect it had upon my mind. The wonderful enthusiasm with which it was conducted and its perfect American impulse have always endeared this conception of yours to me."
John S. Phillips, editor of the American Magazine:
"To M. Quad, known among humorists as 'the Detroit perennial.' When I was a child my father found solace in M. Quad from the rigors of a country doctor's life. In the earliest memory of my own budding appreciation of humor his name is tangled up with Mark Twain. Here's hoping he may go on to be the scout and pioneer of humor for my grandchild, as he has been for these preceding generations of us."
Don C. Seitz, business manager of the New York World:
"Long life and good cheer to Charles B. Lewis, the man who made the town of Detroit known across the seven seas."
Among the many other letters was this one from former United States Senator Chauncey M. Depew:
"Contributors to human welfare are found in many lines of literary effort. The preacher, the philosopher, the sociologist and the theorist have their audience and influence, but the writer who daily reaches multitudes

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lions of homes is the rare distinction of M. Quad.
Among those who sent in humorous drawings depicting their congratulations and appreciation were Gelett Burgess, "Zim," Marshall P. Wilder, Walt McDougall, R. F. Outcault, Carl A. Schultze, A. D. Reed, Ed Carey, the present illustrator of the M. Quad stories; Foster Follett, J. R. Bray, E. W. Kemble and C. T. Anderson.

CAP AND GOWN DEFEATED.
Smith College Girls Fix on White Dresses For Graduation.
The members of the senior class at Smith college recently voted on the question of wearing cap and gown or white dresses with a red rose at graduation. The result was overwhelmingly in favor of the white dresses. The campaign was conducted in a vigorous manner.
The cap and gown adherents argued that their attire would save expense, as rivalry in white dress is a burden to the poorer girls. The girls who favored retaining the present style of white dress with a red rose said that each student had to have at least one white dress for the graduation festivities and that cap and gown meant only added cost. The real argument, which doubtless settled the question, was the point made by the white dress contingent that this is far more becoming.

LUXURY FOR \$25,000 COW.

Student Bathes, Manicures and Grooms Dolly Dimple.

With a college student to care for her, warm baths daily, her hoofs and horns manicured and her glossy hide polished till it shines, Dolly Dimple, a \$25,000 cow, is experiencing the last word in bovine luxury.

Dolly Dimple likes her attendant, who is Alonzo Hathaway, from Ames Agricultural college, in Iowa. Dolly also likes her warm baths and the grooming and rubbing she gets every day. But greater than all these luxuries to her is her \$6,000 offspring, a sturdy bull calf, yet to be named and ultimately to be shipped to W. H. Tichenor of Wisconsin.

Dolly Dimple is the pride of Lang water farms, owned by F. Lothrop Ames, the millionaire, of Boston, Newport, R. I., and North Easton, Mass. Mr. Ames sought a skilled man to care for her, and Mr. Hathaway obtained a year's leave of absence from college to do so.

through the press in a way that enlists attention and creates an eager desire for more because he gives instruction with humor is a perambulatory sanitarium for the sick in heart, mind or body. Humor is the solvent of sadness. It is the bottle of the blues. To have done this beneficent work for more than forty years until he has become a welcome guest in millions of homes is a great achievement.

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SIGHT GIVEN TO DYING MAN.

Harrington, While Ill, Longed to See Members of Family Again.
With tears of joy streaming from eyes to which sight had been restored after eight years of blindness, Mortimer Harrington, seventy-five years old, died at Malden, Mass. For weeks during his last illness Harrington prayed continuously that he might see the members of his family once more before he died. A few hours before his death he suddenly sat up in bed and cried: "I see! I see!"
The family gathered around, and one by one the dying man recognized his loved ones. The respite from his blindness was brief, but Harrington died with a smile on his face.

The Dogwatch.

At sea the first dogwatch is from 4 p. m. to 6 p. m.; the second from 6 p. m. to 8 p. m.

Ask Your Doctor
Ask your doctor how often he prescribes an alcoholic stimulant for children. He will probably say, "Very, very rarely." Ask him how often he prescribes a tonic for them. He will probably answer, "Very, very frequently." Then ask him about Ayer's non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla as a tonic for the young.

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